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CORN MEAL	10 " " [illegible]
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PEAS, Green or Split	16 " " 1 00
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PEACHES, 3 to 4 tins, new	90
APRICOTS, 3 tins, new	90
PINE APPLES, 3 tins, new	90
CORN, 7 "	1 00
TOMATOES, 8 tins new	$95
PEAS, 6 tins, new	95
JAMS and JELLIES, 5 lb. tins	1 00
PIE FRUITS, Assorted, gallon tins	75
MINCE MEAT, Superior, 5 lb. tins	1 00
SUGAR, Light Brown, 13½ lbs.	1 00
SUGAR HOUSE DRIPS, per gallon	80
VINEGAR, Malt	60
VINEGAR, White Wine	65
BUTTER, Creamery 30 cts. per lb., 3 lbs for	90
HAM, Choice Eastern, per lb.	17
BACON, 15 cts. per lb or 8 lbs for	1 00
COAL OIL, Pearl, per tin	1 75
T. & B. TOBACCO, 5 plugs	1 00
EGGS, Island, 25 cts. per doz. Imported, 20 cts.	
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NEW INCORPORATIONS

A Long Line of Electric Railway—Black Jack Mining Co.

The Vancouver solicitor for the applicants gives notice that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the province of British Columbia, at its present session, for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating a line of electrical railway from some point at or near the city of Vancouver, to run in a southerly direction along or adjacent to the North Arm road to a point near the Fraser river, and thence westerly by the most feasible route along the north side of said Fraser river to the Sea Island bridge, and thence southerly across said bridge to Sea Island, continuing southerly across Sea Island and the bridge connecting Sea Island and Lulu Island, and thence southerly to a point on the south side of said Lulu Island; with power and for the purpose of running and operating a steam ferry between said point on south side of Lulu Island and Ladner's Landing, and other places on the Fraser river.

Also to run from the said Sea Island bridge, northerly, along or adjacent to the Granville street road, to a point at or near the city of Vancouver, and to acquire lands and do all things necessary for the purpose aforesaid.

BLACK JACK QUARTZ MINING CO.

Edward A. Martin, Samuel A. Rogers, Joseph Denny, Alexander Sharp and John Houser have filed articles of incorporation with the registrar of joint stock companies to form the "Black Jack Quartz Mining Company, Limited Liability." The objects for which the company are established are: Mining and working quartz for precious metals and minerals in British Columbia; erecting or leasing mills and machinery for reducing ores; the acquisition of lodes or veins and the obtaining of such water privileges and rights of way, and doing of such things as are conducive or incidental to the attainment of the above objects.

The capital of the company shall be ($120,000.00) one hundred and twenty thousand dollars, divided into 60,000 shares of $2.00 each. The corporate existence of the company shall continue for forty years, and the principal place of business, Barkerville, Cariboo.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

A Resume of Events in the Sporting Arena.

To-morrow afternoon at 3 p. m. sharp the Victoria Football club will play the return match against New Westminster at Beacon Hill, when the Victoria boys will try and avert the monotony of defeat by scoring a victory. The Victoria team will be as follows: P. R. Rogers, full back; W. A. Ward, (Capt.) H. J. Martin, W. Allison, three-quarter backs; E. Miller, G. Wilson, half backs; L. Crease, W. H. Langley, H. C. Barnstall, W. Kennedy, W. Fisher, M. H. Tytler, C. W. Rhodes, W. Clarke, E. E. Billinghurst, forwards; reserve, S. Lowe.

Go to Vancouver.

Professor Foster and a number of his pupils will leave for Vancouver to-morrow morning to give an exhibition of athletic exercises and boxing. As the pupils are well trained and understand their drill perfectly, a good exhibition is assured to the Vancouver folks.

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ALSO, 10,000 CIGARS.

Catalogues ready on Tuesday morning.
Terms at sale.

The Auctioneers would call the special attention of the trade as well as the general public to the above large and varied first Spring Sale.

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AMERICAN DISPATCHES

Death of U. S. General Crook, the Famous Apache Indian Fighter.

A Decision Which Says Trusts Are Illegal—Crimes and Casualties.

Washington, March 20.—Mr. Dolph has succeeded in having his bill passed for ports of entry in Alaska. It constitutes Mary Island, Wrangel, Juneau, Sand Point, Kodiak and Ounalaska ports of delivery in the customs district of Alaska, and provides that the secretary of the treasury shall appoint officers for each of these places. Buildings to cost $25,000 are to be erected for the government.

MUST SWING.

San Jose, Cal., March 21. — James Eubanks, who killed his daughter in Los Gatos, a few months ago, was this morning sentenced to suffer the death penalty. The date of execution was not fixed.

TRUSTS ARE ILLEGAL

Ottawa, Ill., March 21.—The Supreme Court has refused the grant of re-hearing in the case of the Chicago gas trust. The effect of the decision is that the trust is illegal.

DEATH OF GEN. CROOK.

Chicago, March 21. — Major-General Geo. Crook, in command of the Department of the Missouri, died at the Grand Pacific Hotel at 7:15 this morning from heart failure. There had not been a slight warning that the general was not perfectly well.

Adjutant-General Williams, who assumed command immediately after Gen. Crook's death, has charge of the funeral arrangements and he is in communication with Secretary Proctor. It is Mrs. Crook's desire that the body be taken to Oakland, Maryland, for burial, and her request has been forwarded to the Secretary of War. Gen. Williams believes the funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon.

THE SUGAR TRUST.

New York, March 21.—The sugar trust made application to Judge O'Brien of the Supreme Court for leave to declare a dividend of 2½ per cent. on $50,000,000 of trust certificates. The motion was made in pursuance of the judge's order restraining a disposition of the funds without leave of the courts. Opposition counsel said if the judge was satisfied the trust was in a position to pay such a dividend, they would not object to the motion. Judge O'Brien will decide the matter to-morrow.

A DISHONEST CLERK.

San Francisco, March 21.—Jas. S. Kennedy, jr., a foreign money order clerk in the postoffice, who was arrested last night and charged with embezzlement, was held to answer by U. S. Commissioner this morning in bail of ten thousand dollars. Kennedy's books are being examined to-day. Thus far he is found to be five thousand dollars short.

TREMENDOUS EXCITEMENT.

St. Johns, Nfld., March 21.—Tremendous excitement prevails concerning the *modus vivendi*. An immense public meeting was held last night, which was addressed by clergymen, business men, a late crown minister and other prominent speakers. The most loudly applauded of all were those who referred to the example set by the American colonies in the revolution of 1776.

RAILWAY RUMORS.

Control of the "Soo" Road Said to be in Villard's Hands

St. Paul, March 21.—It is said that Henry Villard, backed by a powerful German syndicate, has purchased a controlling interest in the "Soo" road. Representatives of the "Soo" say no. It is no secret in northwestern railway circles that a controlling interest in the "Soo" road is held by the Canadian Pacific, the latter corporation owning a majority of one share, but with such a narrow majority it is declared that some financially weak kneed director of the parent concern would unload enough of his shares to transfer a controlling interest to the Villard-German syndicate, and of course thereby to the Northern Pacific. The latter wants an inter-ocean line and if the controlling interest in the "Soo" line was obtained it could have practically a through line from ocean to ocean in competition with the Canadian Pacific; but as the latter is now a strong competitor of the Northern Pacific it would not relinquish its aggressive tactics unless obliged to.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Duke of Bedford has built a private cremation furnace on his own grounds for the purpose of cremating the dead of his own family and will shortly erect a temple for the preservation of the memorial urns to contain the ashes of the dead at Woburn Abbey.

American ladies in Paris have been forced to give up walking in the streets owing to the continual arrest of respectable women by officious policemen. Lately a leading actress, a waitress and the wife of an English clergyman were arrested and dragged through the streets to the police office.

A New York reporter got himself committed to jail, and there found that by a system of bribes he could go out for a promenade whenever he chose, could go to saloons and get all the drinks he wanted, could eat at a restaurant, and wind up the day at the theatre. Justice is stone blind when a wad of greenbacks is folded across her eyes.

Sir Henry Parkes, Premier of New South Wales, is the possessor of a lucky sixpence. It was the first money he earned when he stepped ashore at Sydney half a century ago, a friendless and penniless immigrant. It was his reward for holding a horse outside of a public house. He is very proud of the coin.

Lefebvre's painting of Lady Godiva riding through the streets of Coventry, which was begun three years ago, is now finished. He shows her on her palfrey, which is led through an antique street by her nurse. Lady Godiva is completely nude, as the legend demands, and crosses her hands over her bosom, while her eyes are raised to heaven.

Says a correspondent: "Edward Bellamy, the author, is in poor health. Readers of 'Looking Backward' will regret to hear this, and those who are personally acquainted with the modest expounder of nationalism will feel a still keener sorrow. How much do you suppose Bellamy had made thus far on his famous book? Just $16,000. How much the publishers? Just $50,000.

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Cured King's
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For sale by Jno. Teague, Jr., 57 Yates street.

NO MORE "PUFFS."

The "Times" Theatrical Criticisms Hereafter Impartial.

For the benefit of those who take an interest in such things, THE TIMES herewith announces that it will not accept complimentary tickets from traveling theatrical companies. The motive is obvious. The complimentary ticket is in the nature of a bribe. The paper accepting complimentaries is not, it is true, compelled to hold its tongue, but the acceptance implies as much, and between the companies themselves and the local managers a howl goes up which is the reverse of edifying. But while THE TIMES refuses to be bribed in this matter it does not wish to be understood that it will be captiously critical. Due credit will be meted out to all companies who deserve it, while as for "snide" troupes whose visitations so frequently vex this city, they will be treated as they deserve. It is not fair to the public that a newspaper should come out on the morning after a performance with a complimentary notice of a worthless company, and all because it has been tendered a number of complimentary tickets, nor will the TIMES consent to so stultify itself. As to advance notices of visiting companies, these will be accepted as advertisements only, unless the company has a reputation which the TIMES can vouch for. In cases of companies of reputed merit the TIMES will be glad to note their advent in complimentary strain, but it cannot and will not in the case of unknown companies publish advance notices except as advertisements. This position on the part of the TIMES is due to its self respect and general reliability. The TIMES cannot consent to puff worthless troupes any more than it can afford to lend itself to captious criticism of what is really excellent. No troupe which is what it advertises itself to be need fear that it will not receive impartial, kind and complimentary treatment, but the TIMES will not puff a troup at the expense of its veracity. In matters theatrical it is under obligations to the public to give the devil his due and so will comport itself in the future.

At first thought the action on the part of the TIMES may seem to be a discrimination against the local management, for if a poor show should visit Victoria the TIMES will be bound to declare it such and the sale of seats might as a consequence fall off much to the financial hurt of the local manager as well as to the company; but looking at the matter from another standpoint the stand the TIMES has taken will oblige the management to furnish firstclass entertainments for firstclass prices, and will greatly lessen the number of questionable troupes imported into the city, thereby insuring full houses for those who do come, and a material increase in the year's receipts.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

Prof Fenwick arrived last night as per announcement in advance.

Sergeant of Provincial police Langley went over to the Sound this morning.

John A. Carthew is very ill, and was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital last night.

Edward Allen, M. P. P., was somewhat better to-day. He is in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. Alex. Macdonald of the Windsor Hotel and children returned last night from a six months visit to friends in Pictou, N. S.

Sheriff McMillan is about the same, but hopes are entertained that he will pull through.

John S. Bowker returned from Port Angeles last night, where the boom is still holding sway.

Father Van Nevel will go to Nanaimo on Saturday to officiate at the R. C. church on Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Blackwood and daughter and the Misses Tolmie were passengers for Tacoma this morning on a visit.

H. G. Lewis, agent marine and fisheries, and Wm. Gill, inspector of inland revenue, arrived from the mainland last night.

Messrs. D. W. Morrow, W. G. Mackenzie and W. H. Cullin leave for Vancouver this evening as delegates to the Lacrosse Association, to be held in that city to-morrow.

ALBERNI WARBLINGS.

Farewell Temperance Entertainment—Notes.

When youth has budded into manhood, how quickly time seems to fly, and the older we grow so does the face of time seem to quicken. Looking back, one scarcely realizes the continual changes that take place in our midst. It is only four months since Mr. Pillar, of the Presbyterian church, came among us, and now he is leaving. Recognizing this fact, the Beaver Creek Band of Hope Temperance Society gave a very enjoyable entertainment, as a social farewell to the gentleman named, efficient assistance being given by the kindred Alberni Society. A very lengthy programme was presented; among the noticable features of the evening were the quartette of Mr. Bishop and Mesdames Green, A. and M. McKenzie, and those of Messrs. J. C. Mollet and Nicholas and Misses Kirkpatrick and Mollet. Mr. Cameron caused considerable amusement with his rendering of songs of old Caledonia, and the trio of Masters H. and R. Waring and Miss Bishop, who sang the "Old Oaken Bucket," was one of the gems of the evening and received well-merited applause. The oratorial part of the programme was well represented, Mr. Jolly making a "hit" with his recitation. Mr. F. G. Bishop spoke on the temperance cause and subsequently moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Pillar for his energy in establishing the temperance societies and placing the cause on a firm basis. Mr. Pillar briefly replied, stating that he was merely doing his duty. At a late hour the entertainment terminated, all having spent a most enjoyable evening.

H. M. S. Acorn came to anchor in the harbor, on a visit for a few days, and returned to Esquimalt.

Messrs. Huff & Co. have started preliminary operations for the erection of their new large store at the corner of Victoria quay and Nanaimo road.

The Boscowitz arrived on Sunday evening. I. C. U.

Drawing.

The first yearly drawing for prizes at Russell, McDonald & Co., takes place on July 28th. The drawings will continue to be half yearly and will always be drawn for in July and December. The prizes are all good, consisting of large cash prizes and expensive pieces of silver-ware. The prices at which they sell their goods is far below that charged by other merchants owing to the naturally inexpensive location of their large store at 134 Douglas street.

Domestic Infelicity.

A family jar occurred last evening in Victoria. A jealous wife, a handsome young girl, and a police officer were the cast of the piece. The situations were dramatic and sensational, and the words of some of the participants were, to say the least tragic. The injured wife was wild with rage, and it required a deal of tact and finesse on the part of the officer to keep mortal hurts from being given.

For sale, ½ of an acre on Menzies street. Apply to Leet, Dumbleton & Co.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Emperor William and the Prince of Wales Meet at Berlin To-day.

Two Boys to be Hanged for Murder—Fatal Rioting in Germany.

Berlin, March 21.—Emperor William, in company with Empress Frederick and other royalties, received the Prince of Wales on his arrival at the railway station to-day. As the Prince stepped from the railway carriage the English anthem was played by the band. The Emperor wore the uniform of the English dragoons and the Prince of Wales that of the German general. The Emperor and the Prince were escorted by a company of cavalry, proceeded in a carriage to the royal castle, the route to which was crowded with people who cheered the royal personages to the echo.

It is asserted that Count Von Muster, German minister to France, will succeed Count Herbert Bismarck as imperial foreign minister.

BISMARCK AND CRISPI.

Rome, March 21.—Premier Crispi has received a telegram from Bismarck on his resignation in which he expressed the hope that Italy and Germany would be good friends. The premier responded that it would not be his fault if the friendship was interrupted, as he would continue to do all in his power to preserve present cordial relations.

RIOTING.

Berlin, March 21.—A bloody riot has occurred at Koepenich, a suburb of this city, at mass meeting. Workmen stoned the police and the gendarmes, headed by the mayor, charged the crowd with drawn swords. Many men and women were injured and two gendarmes killed and several wounded. The Berlin garrison have gone to the scene.

BOYS TO HANG.

London, March 21.—Richard and Geo. Davis, respectively 16 and 18, have been sentenced to be hanged for the murder of their father. The defence was that the father was intolerably cruel.

THE ROYAL CITY.

Railway Rumors Cause Excitement—The Mission Bridge.

Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, March 21.—D. McGillivray, contractor for the construction of the C.P.R. bridge across the Fraser at the Mission, has received instructions to proceed at once with the work. Mr. McGillivary will leave to-morrow with a large force of men for the scene of operations.

A number of fishing boats are out on the river and average fair catches.

It is understood that instructions have been received also to begin the work of grading a branch line from the Mission southward to the boundary. Indications are that the C. P. R. has completed arrangements for a connection at the boundary either with the Cornwall line from Bellingham Bay, or the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern railway, possibly the latter.

THE CAPITAL.

The Rykert Scandal Case Still Going on at Ottawa.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, March 21.—The Rykert case was before the special committee to-day. Sir John Macdonald and Hon. Mr. Bowell were examined. They gave nothing new in the way of evidence. Both said that Rykert did not ask them to use any undue influence with the government to secure a license for timber limits to Adams. Hon. Wm. McDougall appeared as counsel for Rykert.

C. R. Casey & Co.'s large tannery at Amherst, N. S., was totally destroyed by fire last night. Loss on machinery and stock will be heavy.

The steamer Boston City from London arrived this afternoon at Halifax with no signs of the mail boat Peruvian.

Sol Smith Russell.

It is probable that "A Poor Relation" is the best comedy that we shall see in this city this season. Mr. Russell has a great future before him. He stands almost alone among the actors of this generation who have taken comedy for their field, as a master of quiet, natural methods and artistic grooves. The play will be produced here with the entire cast as used by Mr. Russell during his recent successful run at Daly's theatre in New York.

In the part of Noah Vale, critics speak of Mr. Russell's success as akin to that of Jefferson in Rip Van Winkle.

The New York *Herald*, in speaking of the play, says: "Not in many a day has there been so clever and clean a production of what may be termed characteristic American wit, Yankee impulsiveness and the various emotions of human beings who, according to Boston ideas, have had the misfortune to be born of the new world. I have no hesitancy in saying that never anything more delightful to the cultivated senses than was the impersonation by Mr. Russell and his company of 'A Poor Relation.'"

After the Smugglers.

A bill has been introduced in the U. S. Senate by Senator Squire appropriating $15,000 to be expended annually for the maintenance and equipment of two fast steam launches for the customs service at Port Townsend. The object of the bill is to prevent small craft in the Sound from landing Chinese and contraband goods. It has the approval of the treasury officers. Collector Bradshaw has written a letter in which he estimates that the two launches will save to the country about $50,000. When Squire was governor he wrote to Secretary Manning on these subjects, and recommended that something be done to prevent the small craft from evading the customs officers. It is contemplated that the launches shall be swift enough to overhaul any of the small smuggling craft on the Sound.

A Mine of Wealth.

Speaking of the special edition of THE TIMES, Dr. J. S. Helmcken said to-day that it was a mine of wealth, as far as information about Victoria was concerned. He also said that no single issue of a newspaper published here ever treated its subjects so exhaustively and correctly.

Piano Tuning.

Mr. J. E. Finlayson, from Broadwood & Sons, London, England, and Steinway & Sons, New York, will attend to orders left at M. W. Waitt's music warerooms, 64 Government street, Victoria, B. m10-2w

Death.

James Dickson, a native of Ireland, 73 years of age, died at the Royal Hospital last evening of heart disease. He was one of the company of sappers and engineers that came out to British Columbia many years ago. In his time he had seen active service and passed through the Crimean war with credit to himself.

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THE ELECTION REGULATION ACT.

With all deference to the sentiment which prompted the Election Regulation which forbids candidates to personally solicit votes, we are bound to say—well, we can only say, to repeat the language of the Speaker of the House, that it is "unworkable." But this is not all. Such a regulation is not only unworkable but it is unjustifiable. For every candidate who personally solicits votes there are a hundred who do not. It is the candidate's friends who do the soliciting for him. An Election Regulation of the kind proposed would, as was said on the floor of the House, put the candidate at the mercy of any man who had no conscientious scruples against perjury, and we all know that this class of men are not scarce. Let the House by all means sit down on the Election Regulation amendment.

As to Mr. Orr's amendment, or perhaps we should say, suggestion, that it should be unlawful for cabinet ministers to make promises of public expenditure as a means of acquiring political support, while it would seem as if some restraint in this direction should be imposed, it is as unworkable as the elections regulation proposed by Mr. Duck. Candidates, and particularly cabinet ministers, must discuss matters of expenditure as pertaining to localities. Such may involve a form of bribery; nevertheless it cannot be helped, and a law forbidding it not only trespasses on the rights of the citizen, but in many instances would absolutely prohibit the discussion of questions of public utility. Some discretion must be left to the elector himself. If he is so obtuse that he cannot sufficiently penetrate the designs of demagogues then things must take their course. If between the intelligence of the elector, the arguments of an opposition, the newspapers and a healthy public sentiment, bribery by promises of appropriations cannot be kept down, it is time to shut up the shop of popular institutions and hunt up some SAUL for a king. Claiming to be a free people let us act like a free people. Claiming to be honest let us act as if we had some confidence in each other, and not in a manner which would put to blush a colony of pickpockets. There is honor among thieves. Let us not be so absurd as to enact laws which would lead the stranger to suspect that honor was absent among gentlemen.

SOME REFLECTIONS ON THE "REFORM BILL."

Our excellent contemporary, the News, as we anticipated, denies that its "Reform Bill" article was inspired. We expected no less. It would have been a grave breach of confidence for the News to admit the soft impeachment. However, the question as to whether the article was inspired or not does not concern us just now. Even as the News has endeavored to disabuse our minds of the notion that the government had a hand in the writing of the article in question, so would we endeavor to disabuse the mind of the News of the notion it evidently entertains of our anxiety to see the Redistribution Bill brought down to the House.

Now, as to the government's "gingerly" treatment of the subject in question, we hav'nt the least fault to find in the world as in any way calculated to do the opposition harm. Indeed, in our judgment, the longer the government withholds the bill the more evident it will become that it is not a public measure but a measure intended for the exclusive benefit of the Quintette. Why should the government procrastinate in this matter if it is disinterested? Are governments under circumstances of disinterested legislation secretive and sly? If this is a purely public measure intended to subserve a crying public need, why should it not have been brought down to the House a month ago, or for that matter why should it not have been discussed unreservedly by the government months ago? Taking into consideration the "gingerly" treatment of the question, what other inference can the people draw than that the government contemplates sharp practice? The bill when presented to the Legislative Assembly may be all right, a perfect masterpiece of square disinterested effort, but if it should prove unsatisfactory in the least, the suspicion already aroused that private interests have been unduly considered will be confirmed and then the government will have an up hill job before it indeed. The question of the redistricting of this province should have no significance as a personal matter. It is a purely public matter, and should have been ventilated last fall.

Measures of this kind should be submitted early to the people and none are better aware of this fact than the people themselves. How then must the people regard the government's procrastinating policy? Are they not bound to surmise that the government is figuring twice for themselves to once in the interest of the public? Are the people so dense that they cannot perceive that no less than selfish motives are at the bottom of the Premier's dark and devious ways? If this is not a correct view of the case then we are fooled. We are then in no hurry for the Reform Bill. The longer the government keeps it back the worse for them. The opposition could ask no more than this. The government in treating the subject "gingerly" is its own worst enemy. In hanging back the government shows want of moral courage and advertises broadly that it is being moved by private rather than public considerations. We find no fault with the government for procrastinating in this matter except as showing that their protestations of disinterestedness is a shallow subterfuge, a living lie.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Colonel BAKER's sense of the humorous, together with his faculty of application, like that of most Tories, has to be labelled to distinguish it from utter imbecility. Had his little parody been published without comment, what was equivalent to explanatory foot notes, nobody could have told what the legislative humorist from Kootenay was driving at. Colonel BAKER is under great obligations to the scribe whose penchant for toadyism was in excess of his critical acumen. The toady scribe has covered the gallant Colonel with glory, but has seriously damaged himself as an impartial critic. The TIMES is not one of those who cannot take a joke, but it does insist that the joke shall have both pith and point. For the sake of human kind, for the sake of British Columbia, let us hope that the next time Colonel BAKER mounts his Pegasus he will attempt a higher flight than was the case yesterday afternoon. As for the scribe who labelled the Colonel's precious effusion, he should be promoted to the high position of Colonel BAKER's flunkey.

Lord SALISBURY's remarks, that with so susceptible a nation as the United States, it was impossible to carry on negotiations at the top of the voice, not only establishes his fame as a phrase-maker, but is significant of the final outcome of the negotiations now pending in relation to Behring's Sea. If the United States had something less than 9,000,000 Irish, was on a par with Portugal so to speak, the English Lion would roar. As it is, however, he discourses in the gentle cadence of a cooing dove. Those who anticipate a solution of the Behring's Sea muddle favorable to British sealers had as well prepare for the worst. Doubtless Sir JULIAN will succeed in obtaining damages for the seized sealers, but we question whether further concessions will be obtained. England does not want to fight over the matter, cannot afford to do so in fact. The principle at stake is worth fighting for, but unfortunately the interests at stake do not justify, in the estimation of Downing Street, the burning of powder. SALISBURY, for decency's sake hereafter should conduct negotiations with inferior powers in tones that correspond to the dulcet strains he lavishes on the American eagle.

The obnoxious paternalism of Ottawa has again made itself felt in the rules and regulations prescribed for the Fraser river fisheries. It is not enough that the cannery catch should be restricted, but a heavy tax must be put on the fisherman who at the best earn but a precarious subsistence. The conditions imposed on the Fraser river fisheries if not practically inhibiting the salmon canning industry, at least place it at a disadvantage compared with other points on the coast engaged in the same business. There has been some talk of the Fraser river canneries being bought up by an English syndicate. There is little probability that such a bargain will be consummated. English capitalists are not natural born fools. They will not invest money in a country where at every turn they are confronted by black mail. This meddlesomeness of the central government in the affairs of localities is a survival of a vicious system, the primary object of which is the retention of power and the control of patronage. Some day when the people are all but starved, they will ask for a change, and if it is not granted they will make it anyhow. British Columbia, as an independent state, would be a prosperous country in the most superlative sense of the word inside of two years.

SISTERS SUICIDE.

Two School Teachers Wade Into a Lake and Drown Themselves.

Topeka, Kansas, March 20.—Hannah and Adele Poore, school teachers at Concordia, committed suicide by drowning on Wednesday night. It is said that terror of consumption was the cause. They had been very despondent for a long time past. On Monday they gave their brother some papers, which were found to contain not only papers, but some heirlooms and old coins, and a watch belonging to Adele. Yesterday one of the brothers went to their house, entered, and found on a table a note saying that they were going away, and, if they were found dead, not to think anyone had killed them. Also a letter to a brother and his wife, saying they had made up their minds not to suffer any longer with their disease; that they were going away and "if we are found dead do not blame any one." The sisters went to a lake about a mile and a half away, and from traces which were plainly visible, walked side by side to the water's edge, where one had walked straight into the water and the other had hesitated, stepping from side to side, probably four or five feet and then waded in. The bodies were found ten feet apart, one in about three feet of water and the other in about four. Letters were found in the house written by them to friends, saying that they felt that their lives had been mis-spent, that they should have been Christians, but it was now too late. Their grandmother, their mother, their brother and two sisters and nephew had died of consumption and Adele was suffering from it. Hannah had repeatedly expressed herself that she did not want to live longer than her sister.

Capt. Warren at Ottawa.

An Ottawa despatch says: Capt. Warren returned to Ottawa from Washington yesterday afternoon. He says he has not been able to glean much as to the nature of the negotiations on the Behring's sea question, but understood that the negotiations were not completed. Capt. Warren has no great faith in American promises, and desires the government to keep a stiff upper lip. He merely had dealings with Mr. Tupper, and had no conversation with Sir Julian Pauncefote or Secretary Blaine. Capt. Warren remains at Ottawa awaiting orders.

THE EAST.

Pith of the Morning Telegrams from Eastern Points.

City Marshal Sharp, of St. John, N.B., died suddenly Saturday. The symptoms indicated that poison might be present.

The Equal Righters of Peterboro West, Ont., have nominated John Carnegie, local president of the Equal Rights Association, for the Legislative Assembly.

G. Hodgins, a well known farmer living at Cannon, Russell county, suicided in the woods on the 16th by shooting himself through the head. He had been acting strangely for some time.

A public meeting has been called by the mayor of Quebec with a view to the erection of a monument to the memory of Major Short and Sergeant Wallick who died with his superior while fighting the flames at the St. Sauveur fire.

Agnes Finnegan, of Belleville, who has been visiting her brother at the American hotel, Oshawa, disappeared on Friday night. Her body was found under the ice in a creek which runs through the town. As she was in poor health it is supposed she committed suicide.

A post of the Grand Army of the Republic will be formed in Montreal. During the war large numbers of Canadians served on the northern side, attracted by the generous bounty offered. A meeting has been held and steps were taken to form a post. There were thirty-two men present eligible for membership.

Five heads of families residing in the parish of St. Leon De Standin, county of Dorchester, Que., have sent in their claims for 100 acres of land promised by the local government to all families having 12 children. The claims are coming in every day, and if they continue at the same rate, next year the government will have to look for more territory.

At the third annual meeting of the new party convened in Toronto, Rev. Dr. Sutherland, president, occupied the chair. He made some interesting calculations as to the strength of the party. At last year's convention, he said, fifty had signed the platform, and at last year's convention the party turned just 1,000. At this time over four thousand had signed the platform.

It is reported that acting under inspiration from Sir John A. Macdonald, Lieut.-Governor Schultz will refuse his assent to the bill just passed by the legislature abolishing the French language and separate schools. If he does, the Greenway government will be forced to resign. A prominent Frenchman who pretends to know says that this course will be taken.

Jung Ling, a Chinese laundryman of Boston, drew a $100,000 prize in a lottery last month. When he received the money he entrusted it to a friend named Joe Tighe to deposit for him in a bank. It has been learned that Joe had not deposited the money and his whereabouts is unknown. He has taken the $100,000 with him. It is supposed that he has gone to San Francisco.

Charles Perron and Louisa A. Michaud, of Globe Village, Mass., two young people who recently came here with their parents from the neighborhood of Hamilton, Ont., were married yesterday under somewhat romantic circumstances. A few weeks ago they met at the house of a mutual friend where a little private entertainment was going on. In a spirit of jest a mock marriage was proposed and these two volunteered to take the leading roles. Nothing more was thought of it until the young woman commenced to be tormented with the fact, and later scandalous stories came to her ears. She sought the counsel of a Dominican father. He advised her, since this folly had given rise to scandal, providing the young man was willing, the couple should be legally married. Perron was seen and agreed. Bishop Parkis consented under the circumstances to give a dispensation, and so they were married.

Our Government.

New Westminster Truth:—The government at Victoria seems to be pretty well pleased with the showing it has made in the budget speech. Ordinary mortals who don't enquire much into methods and means of public progress may think so too. But there be others, we warrant, who will say that it reads very like the financial statement of a backwoods municipality. The government is surprised at the amount of money it has on hand. This means that its mental horoscope was deficient last year. The great trouble seems to be that the government is content to wriggle along as a sort of rear-guard in the march of events, and comes up at the end of the year very much out of breath with the exertion and almost speechless with astonishment at what has taken place. There seems to be a sorrowful lacking of the feature of bigness about this government,—of power to grasp a great situation and plunge boldly into the future, carrying the country with them. They creep—a groundling, tortuously dragging their slow length along, and stop anon to listen to the buzz of Provincial progress away in advance of them. They present an array of petty bridges, and roads, and wharves and meandering aboriginal trails, all very well in their way, if they were not conceived in the idea of pleasing somebody, but they are afraid to tackle the awful responsibility of a railway crossing the boundary. They kill a wretched schoolmaster who has been more or less impertinent, but they allow a monopoly to grind them on the neck. They lack dash and grasp. Scan their record, and if you find no grievous fault in what they have done, summon up to mind the awful faults of those things which have been left undone. If we only had a government bold enough to make a spoon or spoil a horn, even their faults might be glorified! But this querulous, contentious drip, drip,—it wears the very adamant.

An Untruthful Correspondent.

The Victorian correspondent of the Westminster *Columbian* writes that paper an account of a trip up the Gorge on Sunday, and paints a very lurid picture of the horrible orgies carried on at the hotels there. While very sensational, the whole business is totally devoid of truth. After a long description of a scene which never occurred, the writer speaks of the "Smuggler King" Labelle, describing him as marching into the hotel, "gibbering, cursing, blaspheming and gnashing his dirty teeth like a demon from the depths, drunk, mad, raving, slavering like a wild bull under the banderillas in an Andalusian bull-ring. He smashed and roared and rolled his bloodshot eyes around, wanting to fight anybody, everybody, somebody. His reputation is as frightful as his looks, no one dared wink in his presence, and he screamed for more whiskey, with a hurricane of blasphemy to emphasize his order." As everybody knows Charlie Labelle is one of the most dapper and elegant young gentlemen seen on the streets; his behavior is almost courtly, and he does not get drunk. But then the item respecting him is about true as the rest of the article. It is all imaginary, and the chances are the writer was never up the Gorge, but wrote the whole business in the sitting room of his boarding house.

Our Own Amor De Cosmos.

Hitherto our own Canadian Amor De Cosmos had the honor of making the longest speech on record, but now a member of the parliament which sits in Bucharest has distanced him with a speech of 48 hours. Paul once preached some of his congregation to sleep in a quarter of that period, and numerous successors in the ministry have broken his record in that particular. What is it that makes politics so much more interesting (to politicians) than religion is?—St. John *Telegraph*.

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AN IRISH SYMPOSIUM.

A. W. Ross Entertains as a Son of the Green Isle.

One of the most unique and most pleasant symposiums of the session, says the Ottawa *Free Press*, eventuated yesterday afternoon when A. W. Ross, M.P., entertained a large number of his friends with "Two Hours in Ireland," in honor of the approaching festival of St. Patrick's Day. The whole affair was preeminently Irish and even the host discarded the Gaelic for the occasion and talked in a magnificently broad brogue. Irish pipes, Irish tobacco, Irish liquids were provided, and were enjoyed by Sir John Macdonald, Sir John Thompson, Adolph Caron, Messrs. H. H. Cook, Jeness, Davin, Montague, LaRiviere, Trow, Peter Mitchell, Pope, Curran, Daly, Davis, Ives, Platt, Holton, Alonzo Wright, Watson, who, with other eminent sons of Ireland were present, and put in a couple of hours very enjoyably in song, speech and sentiment. A pleasing feature of the event was the presentation by Mr. Ross of a handsome blackthorn sticks to Messrs. Curran, Mitchell and Daly, all of whom made happy responses. The press gallery, represented by Messrs. Garvin and Burgess, were very clever at ventriloquism and other vocal efforts; and the asperities of political differences were softened for the time being by the happy speeches of the King of the Gatineau, and the leader of the Third Party, the eccentric stories of Mr. Daly and other leaders of western opinion, and recitations by Messrs. Davin and Cook, M.P., Curran and others. Mr. Ross's health was drank in a bumper of cold water, and the party separated feeling that the Irish cause had been greatly advanced under the temporary leadership of one who hitherto had generally been looked upon as a Scotchman.

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ma13-td MISS M. YOUNG, Secretary.

NOTICE.

MR. H. B. W. AIKMAN, BARRISTER-AT-LAW, was on the first day of January last admitted a partner in the firm of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, which will be continued under the name of

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18th January, 1890.

NOTICE.

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R. P. RITHET.
ANDREW GRAY.
Assignees of the Estate.
Victoria, B. C., 12th March, 1890. ma13-td

LEGAL NOTICES.

RALPH SALMON
(DIED INTESTATE.)

ANY persons having claims against the above estate are requested to send same at once to JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator.
24th Feb., 1890. Feb. 25-1m. d & w.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 428, 881, 882, 883, 888, and 889 in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to Thomas Allsop on the 15th day of May, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lots, or some part thereof.

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Victoria, B. C., March 15th. ma15-2w

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 1357 Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE of Ann Jane McNiff, Peter Irvine and Arthur Abercrethy Irvine, to the above lot bearing date the 28th day of February 1881 has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.
Land Registry office, Victoria, 18th March 1890. mar18-1m

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY DISPOSED OF MY INTEREST in the Regent Saloon, carried on under the firm name of Connor & Switzer, to J. W. Switzer, who will assume all liabilities and collect all outstanding debts.
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mar14-2w JOHN W. SWITZER.

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From Liverpool.

This vessel will discharge cargo at our wharf to-day and following days.

Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p. m., each day and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, rain or sun, and may be stored at their expense.

R. P. RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Vessel.
Victoria, 15th March, 1890. mar15-1w

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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Continuation of the Interesting Discussion on the Budget Speech.

Mr. Semlin Makes an Excellent Speech on the Politico-Financial Policy.

THURSDAY, March 20.

Continuation of debate on the estimates.

Hon. Mr. Robson, continuing, said he had never listened, he thought, to a more illnatured, [illegible] speech than that of the leader of the opposition. The whole burden of [illegible] seemed to be that the revenue was coming in, that the government had no surplus, they were not seeking a surplus but they were developing the country—which he, in his little way, in his little soul, in his little room, had spent his days and nights, while at the head of the treasury, in trying to accumulate. Referring to contract labor, he said it was a singular coincidence that the contractors on the dry dock had been crushed to the wall just prior to a general election, and that the work was carried on by day labor at exhorbitant prices for wages and material. The accusation that only friends of the government were employed on public work was natural enough. The whole population of the country were friends of the government, and the proportion of those on public works, or anywhere else in the country, who opposed it were in the same ratio as the opponents of the government in this House to their supporters. He (Mr. Robson) denied that he had ever exercised political influence through the educational department. When there were any selections to make, he made them from the ranks of those who were not in party affiliation with himself. He did not wish to make political partisans of the teachers; he had always discountenanced any such thing on their part and on the part of the heads of the departments, both of whom were selected from the ranks of his opponents. Neither did the government bribe the electors with their own money unless it was in the building of the public works which developed the country. If that was bribery, in the words of his honorable friend, the Attorney-General, he would say "that is the way they want to be bribed." He would tell the leader of the opposition that he could never hope to lead an influential party in this House while he descended to little mean, petty, gutter tricks. There would be some satisfaction he said, in battling with a strong opposition. It was only when steel met steel—

Mr. Grant—The steal is all on your side.

Hon. Mr. Robson—It is only when steel meets steel that the real highest qualities came out. On concluding the honorable gentleman was applauded by his friends.

Mr. Semlin said as Mr. Beaven and Mr. Grant had already so exhaustively dealt with the estimates, they had left but the crumbs for him to deal with and the greater part of his remarks would be in reference to the speeches of the leader of the government and finance minister. Taking the last of the leader of the government's speech first, he contended that he (Mr. Robson) had used his greatest efforts to keep politics out of school matters. This did not correspond with what we had heard in the house a few days ago in reference to the teacher's convention last summer, in which the superintendent of education, is said, to have introduced the honorable gentleman (the leader of the government) to the teacher's present in the most eulogistic terms, as the one man of all British Columbia best fitted to be at the head of educational affairs. He did not claim that the superintendant of education told the assembled teachers that this was the one man of all others that they should vote for and support at any ensuing elections, but any impartial observer, knowing the positions that the two gentlemen occupied, could easily draw the inference that politics prevaded the ideas, if it did not tincture the words of both. He (Mr. Robson) accused the opposition of having reserved themselves, as it were, to make a grand attack on the education department and of being wound up by an educational crank. We all admit that the education department is one of the chief departments of the country. More money is expended through it than through any other single office and it is the department of all others that should be most jealously watched by any legislature. Now, because the opposition, had had the courage to move for an enquiry into some transactions of this department, it was accused of being wound up by a "crank." He would congratulate the country that there were men among the opposition, who had the courage to do what apparently, no supporter of the government had the nerve to do. We had heard of the certificate of a teacher being cancelled and we asked to be informed of the circumstances attending that cancellation and instead of being thanked by the government for our efforts in this direction, we were accused of being wound up by an "educational crank." The honorable leader of the government claimed that he had so far refrained from introducing politics into education, that he had chosen the superintendent of education from among his political opponents and to still further emphasise his wish to keep the department clear of politics he had also chosen from among his political opponents, a gentleman to act as inspector of schools. This was an old trick well known to sharp politicians, when they found an opponent, who was likely, by any means to be troublesome and of a character to be approached, to turn their opposition into support, by giving them an office of emolument. The honorable gentleman was an adept in all such matters; had given the country year after year examples of his proficiency in closing the mouths of what might prove powerful opposition. We had an example of this, some years ago, in the appointment of a prominent member of the opposition to the shrievality of New Westminster and, at a later date, the same tactics were observed in the selection of a finance minister and now the honorable gentleman boasts that he has carried out the same rule in the appointment of the chief officers of the educational department. Yet he insists in his most bland and gracious manner that he uses his best endeavors to keep politics out of school matters.

The honorable gentleman claimed that both the member for Cassiar and the leader of the opposition, had opposed the selling of public lands. In this he was mistaken as neither of those gentlemen had opposed the selling of the public domain to actual settlers, but claimed that the proceeds of the sale of lands was like a person drawing on a capital account and could not be counted upon as an annual source of revenue. The leader of the government would fain have us believe that the large sales of public lands indicated a correspondingly large increase of our agricultural population. We claimed that this was not the case, that actual settlers rarely purchased more than 160 or 320 acres and that from the amount of land sold the government could not show that a corresponding increase of agricultural population had taken place. Our contention was that the interests of the settler had been sacrificed for the interests of the speculator.

In reference to the system of public works, the present government seemed to set at defiance the system they so loudly demanded and so earnestly advocated while in opposition and continued to carry on the public works of the country, which the leader of the government had just demonstrated, by reference to official data, to be 100 per cent. more costly to the country than works could be carried on under the contract system. He also boasted of having introduced a reform by bringing down large supplementary estimates to be expended early in the year. Here was a coincidence. The leader of the government is great on coincidences. A government had been in power for eight years and they had not discovered the necessity of large expenditure in the country, early in the season, until just before a general election. The leader of the government claimed that the great advance in the prosperity of the province was due to the advent to power of the present government, and he claimed that any amount of prosperity enjoyed by the country was wholly distinct and independent of any act of the government. Had the government endeavored, with their little might to stop or bar the tide of prosperity setting in about the time of their accession to power they could no more have effected the onward progress of the country than they could bar the waters of the Fraser. This prosperity was owing to causes over which this government had no control and for which thinking men could give them no credit. Even the honorable gentleman's colleague, in addressing the House in opening this debate had admitted almost as much and in this he showed much greater fairness than his leader. To the construction of the Canadian Pacific railroad and the large disbursements attending the construction of that work, and the consequent influx of population during construction and after completion, was due any meed of prosperity which the country experienced. The leader of the government characterized the leader of the opposition's speech as an exhibition of ill-temper and personal abuse. He contended that it was neither the one nor the other but was really an incisive and powerful criticism of the financial transactions of the government.

He had been amused by some of the remarks of the honorable finance minister when he boasted of having a million dollars to expend throughout the country this year. Here was another coincidence! The honorable gentlemen were full of coincidences. They held a million dollar bag before the eyes of the electors on the eve of a general election, they swing it before the eyes of the people, as much as to say, "support this government and you will get a fair share of the appropriations, oppose this government and what do you suppose you will get?" He had heard many expressions from the electors and the prevailing opinion seemed to be that only those who supported the government could expect fair play at their hands. Therefore what could his honorable friends think would be the result of swinging this million dollar money bag in the face of the people on the eve of a general election? It was not bribery it was a coincidence! One doubtless the government hoped the electors would duly appreciate. The finance minister grew sentimental during his remarks and had quoted lines of Mrs. Heman's beautiful song. He (Mr. S.) did not object to sentiment, rather admired it; but thought the legislative assembly was rather an uncongenial atmosphere. He might as well have quoted, from the Irish Dragoon's description of Goff's great victory in India, who said:

"It was as good to be there,
As at a Donnybrook fair,
And no police till
The fighting was all o'er."

Or Lord Macaulay's description of the Irish regiment in the Crimea among who was

He who woke the lark on Tipperary's hill
And who kissed his sweetheart last,
By Shannon's silver side........

The government had taken great credit to themselves for all the good the country had received under their administration, but had taken good care to say nothing about their failures. The Provincial Secretary had disclaimed anything political in the conduct of the educational department and he supposed would claim that the strained relations existing between the educational department and the teachers this time last year, had been satisfactorily settled. As well might Russia claim that because Poland had ceased to revolt against her power, that everything was satisfactory to the Poles. Yet the Poles fully understood, that the expression of any difference with their ruler meant Siberia. The teachers understood that any expression of dissent or difference from any of the trifling rules of the department meant ——. He would leave the honorable gentleman to say what. The teachers fully understood the situation. He would not designate the educational department as a failure but leave it to its own conscience. In looking over the estimates he saw one amount set down as an asset of some 600 odd dollars connected with the name of the late superintendent of provincial police. This demanded more than a passing reference. Anything connected with the administration of justice was a matter that interested all people. When the honorable gentlemen came into power the province enjoyed the services of an officer who for years had held the position of superintendent of provincial police, a man who occupied various positions in all of which he had proved himself an honorable, upright and efficient officer. But that gentlemen had the misfortune of being an appointee of the Walkem government and it seems, that, this was cause sufficient for this government to dispense with his services and appoint in his stead a man after their own heart, who enjoyed their confidence and the use of the provincial funds until it suited his convenience to seek new pastures and leave the provincial government to explain about this amount set down as "an asset." This he thought could be safely set down as failure number one. Then in connection with this same department we have another transaction, the consolidation of the laws of the province, the contract for which seems to have been gone on with, without any reference to business principles and which consolidation the Attorney General declares to be "ridiculous and absurd."

On account of the want of an agreement the country may either have to pay for arbitration or perhaps a law suit. This he thought could safely be characterized as failure number two. The next failure he claimed was in regard to the proposed exchange of lands in the Peace River country for the railway lands in British Columbia known as the Dominion belt. The leader of the government had made a trip to Ottawa, had conferred with the Dominion authorities on this subject, had led this house to believe that negotiations, in reference to this matter, had been brought to almost a successful termination. Now we were informed that the whole matter was off and no hope was held out of the question being settled in accordance with the government policy. This could be set down as failure number three. Another matter to be considered was a question which occupied a good deal of the attention of this house during previous sessions and various sums were placed on the estimates to carry out the work. He referred to the production of water for irrigation purposes by artesian boring. Two seasons had been occupied in this work with the magnificent result that a hole, less than 130 feet deep, had been sunk and no water obtained. This might be characterized as failure number four. He had heard of no sufficient or satisfactory reason assigned for such failure. We might assume that the work was kept in suspension as a tempting bait to the electors of the various localities interested, for use at the impending general election. There was another matter, which without being prophetic he might class as failure number five, and that is the so-called redistribution policy of the present government. More than six months have elapsed since the country was informed that redistribution was the policy of the government. Yet the country was wholly in the dark in regard to the form of that policy. He contended that it was a failure as he was strongly impressed that the government had no settled policy among themselves on this question and if such was the case this could justly be designated as failure number five (applause).

Hon. Mr. Vernon characterized the speech of the last speaker as parish politics. The government was accused of having no policy, but before the end of the session it would be seen what their policy was. The opposition, on the other hand, had all a different policy, the leader having a different one from the rest of his supporters. He defended the government in the matter of education and the carrying on of public works. All the large public works in the province had been carried on by contract, but there were small jobs, repairs, etc., which could not be dealt with in this way, besides in isolated portions of the province, where there were few to tender, if works were carried on by contract, two or three would club together and get their own prices. In such cases it was preferable to have the day labor system. In regard to public lands, the selling of them was investing the capital of the province. It was not correct to say that the government was getting clear of all the lands of the province for the benefit of the speculator, and to the detriment of the settler. The revenue from public lands was largely from townsite property. It has been customary to reserve places where towns are likely to spring up, and in this way they are prevented from falling into the hands of one or two persons, and a revenue is brought in to the government. Proceeding, he condemned the leader of the opposition severely for attacking his honorable friend the attorney-general. The honorable gentleman, he said, should recognize him as the attorney-general, and if he had anything to condemn, to condemn the government as a whole.

Mr. Mason would be brief. He congratulated the finance minister on the good showing which he had made in his speech. Referring to the estimates he was very glad to see the vote for surveys. It was much needed, and although he agreed that the greater part of it should be spent on Vancouver Island and the lower mainland for the first year or two, he thought that afterwards some attention should be paid to Bute Inlet. In reference to reduction works, it was in the interest of the whole province that they should be maintained.

Col. Baker did not agree with the leader of the opposition that the failure of settlers to take up their residence in the province was due to the land laws. The great drawback was the lack of railways through this great province. Without these lumber, farm produce and the mineral wealth of the province could not be got to a market. What he wished to see was every encouragement given to the construction of railways. The honorable gentleman concluded by reciting a few humorous lines on the opposition.

Mr. Anderson spoke at some length on the advisability of encouraging the raising of improved breeds of horses. In New Brunswick some years ago, the government put a sum on the estimates for the importation of thoroughbred stock. The animals were brought from the old country and offered at auction, an up-

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office, Feb 27th, 1890. Clerk

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Hall, Feb, 27, 1890. C. M. C.

MUNICIPAL.

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The Corporation reserves the right not to accept any tender. By order

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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City Clerk's office, March 18, 1890. mal3-td

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VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. ly23 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

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dec3 N.G.

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PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and the Province Briefly Told.

—Microbe Killer on sale at Daley's 111 Government street. *

—The Chinese are to be fired out of Portland's business centers.

—Amateur agriculturists are now planting peas, lettuce and other garden truck.

—Seattle is to have a base ball league. Tis thus she makes rapid strides to metropolitan dignity.

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—Shaving outfits, pocket and table cutlery, scissors, etc., in large variety at M. & H. Fox, 78 Government street. *

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—Chicken or garden fencing, made of laths woven in wire, at eighteen cents per yard at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

—The steward of the Royal Hospital wishes to thank Miss McCandlish and Mr. H. Croft for parcels of clothing sent to the patients.

—Great quantities of sturgeon are at present being caught in the Fraser river. All sizes from fish weighing 15 to 250 pounds are captured.

—A war of rates began between the P. C. S. S. line and the Barnard S. S. line. Passengers to 'Frisco from Puget Sound will now rejoice.

—J. C. Smith, chimney sweep, 34 Collinson street opposite St. Joseph's hospital, or orders may be left at Irving's shoe store, 90 Yates street. *

—The sale of the old Methodist church was ratified by the congregation last night. The price was $30,000, and the buyer Mr. Amor De Cosmos.

—John Weiler's spring stock of carpets are arriving daily, and the patterns this season are a combination of beautiful colorings. Call and examine them. *

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—F. J. Richards the champion shoe black is still at the old stand, Whittaker's barber shop, which he has not quitted as reported. Patrons attended to promptly as formerly.

—The steam schooner Jennie of San Francisco for Alaska, has entered Royal Roads for the purpose of having a few necessary repairs to damages caused by the fury of the sea.

—A consignment of Japanese hand made art squares and rugs, artistic in design and beautifully colored, at extremely low prices, at John Weiler's. Call at once and get first choice. *

—A slight fire occurred on the steamer Yosemite while she was on her last trip from Westminster, but by the prompt action of the crew it was extinguished before any damage was done.

—It was reported a few days ago that the firm of McLaren & Ross had engaged from Quebec some 500 French-Canadians to work in and about their mills and logging camps during the summer, but upon enquiry no foundation for the rumor can be found.

—Mr. Armstrong, the Alberni mail carrier, arrived at Nanaimo last evening on his usual trip, and states the snow is still deep in the mountains. In many places it is three feet deep, and the road is difficult to travel. It will probably not be clear before the month of May.

—The Times has often noted the average American newspaper man's ignorance of the geography of the country which lies ten miles beyond his door step. In the Seattle *Times*, for instance, it is learned that the City of Puebla called at Victoria and Vancouver on her way up to Port Townsend and Seattle (sic).

—Mrs. McLennan, the business medium whose marvelous tests astonished hundreds of Victoria's best and most intellectual citizens, has returned to her home in California. Those wishing her advice, or information on any subject, can write to her at her address, Alameda, California. Postoffice box 356. *

—Johnnie Ward, a Nanaimo Indian got out of the penitentiary on Saturday after a two years' visit, and I was so overjoyed to see his tillicums, and they to see him, that a little banquet was given in his honor down at the Swamp early Monday morning, at which whiskey and old Tom gin were the most prominent viands.

—The Horticultural, Dog and Poultry Show to be held at Duncan's on the 1st of July, promises to be a great success, and a large gathering may be expected—a large number of exhibits are expected from Victoria, Nanaimo and other places. Many special prizes are to be offered. In the afternoon amusements such as horse and foot races, gymkana and hurdle races will occur. Parties offering special prizes or wanting information should communicate with the committee.

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Congratulations are extended by his many friends to Mr. A. H. Findlay of this city, he having lately stepped out of bachelordom and brightened his existence by taking unto himself a wife. The lady is Miss Ella Day, of Pittsburg, Pa., and the wedding which was a quiet one, came off on the 18th inst at Portland, the bride elect having crossed the continent, meeting Mr. Findlay at Portland. After the ceremony the happy couple started for Victoria, and will make this city their future home.

A Warning.

Mr. Editor,—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy—delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers—it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price—50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles, by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. d&w

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Left for Esquimalt.

A dispatch has been received by the naval authorities at Esquimalt that the fine man-of-war Warspite has left England's shores for Esquimalt.

Thermometer at Kellogg's.

Average temperature to-day............62°

Sealer Arrives.

The sealing schooner Annie C. Moore, Capt. Steward, arrived last evening with 91 skins. The whole time the schooner was at sea very boisterous weather was encountered. The vessel will refit here before going north. A number of other schooners were spoken, with catches ranging from 50 to 150 skins.

Trading Without a License.

Only two cases came before the police court magistrate this morning. They were those of a couple of Chinese traders who had been doing business without first having paid the license fee required by the city. The charges were both withdrawn upon the license fees and costs being paid.

Pimples and Pustules.

A beautiful face is often disfigured by hideous pimples and pustules, especially at this season of the year. Blood medicine should always be taken in the early spring. Sarsaparilla with Iodides is a thorough blood purifier, acting through the natural organs, and is highly recommended. Kept by Jno. Teague, jr., druggist, 57 Yates street.

Will Soon Be in Place.

The arrangements for getting the fire alarm out of the customs department have all been completed, and in a day or two work will be commenced putting in the alarm boxes and apparatus. The California Electric Co. have agreed to allow the city to pay the amount of the fine and duty and then to deduct the said amount from the contract price.

Coming North.

San Francisco, March 21.—The steamer Umatilla sailed this morning with the following passengers for Victoria: T B McGovern, J M Clough, Miss C Newan, Mrs Bagnall, Mrs Jennings, J Davenport, M Ashford, M Heath, T Mein, jr., T H Clough, Louis Redon, W H Lawrence, P K Fretz, Miss Byrn, Mrs J Pittsiade, J Decker, W McKee, jr., L McQuade and wife, C W Hurst, W F Cockshutt, J T Duffy, I Petroff.

Fun for the Boys.

A couple of old houses which have long been tenantless, situated at the corner of Menzies and Belleville streets were last evening torn down by a crowd of young fellows who had permission to do so. The old hook and ladder truck and gear had been borrowed for the occasion, and with much mirth and clatter the old buildings were razed to the ground. Residents in the neighborhood did not enjoy the horrible din to any great extent, however.

Narrow Organs.

In order that the readers of the Times may know how the narrow government organs treat their political opponents, the following report of the masterly speech of the leader of the opposition, on the finances of the province, is copied from the *Columbian*: "Hon. Mr. Beaven said he only wished to make a few remarks and then made a long speech." This is regarded as "clever" by these organs.

New Lunch Bar.

The proprietors of the Pritchard House, Messrs. Stevenson & Jones, have determined to introduce a new feature in their bar in the shape of a hot free lunch. Soups, roasts and all the etceteras of a first-class lunch will be dispensed free to patrons after to-morrow night. A snack of crackers and cheese has been the extent of a lunch at bars in the past, but the one promised by the proprietors of the Pritchard will satisfy the most fastidious.

B. C. Natural History Society.

A well attended meeting of gentlemen interested in natural history was held last evening, and a society, to be known as the British Columbia Natural History Society, was formed with the following officers: President, Ashdown Green; vice-presidents, Dr. Hasell and M. de Lopatecki; secretary, Dr. Newcombe; treasurer, J. K. Worsfold; curator and librarian, J. Fannan; committee—Jas. Deans, H. Wootton, Capt. Devereaux and J. Fielding. After the election of the officers, a discussion of the objects of the society was entered into, and after a pleasant evening the meeting adjourned until Monday evening, March 31st.

Evicting Chinese.

The Chinese, it is reported, are to be evicted from their present quarters in San Francisco. An order has been issued to the effect that they be removed from their present quarters to South San Francisco, and that within sixty days. The constitutionality of the order is doubted by many lawyers, although City and County Attorney Flournoy has pronounced it valid. Thomas D. Riordan, attorney for many Chinese, stated yesterday that when the sixty days are up a Chinese will be arrested and released on habeas corpus, by which means the case will be at once before the Supreme Court for settlement of the validity of the order.

Good for Nanaimo.

Mr. F. Rowbottom has shipped a large quantity of rock from the new V. C. Co.'s quarry to Victoria to-day. The stone is a facsimile to that with which the Dominion government building is constructed of and is intended for a building for Attorney-General Davie. The contract calls for three hundred feet of this excellent stone, and it is being sent down in slabs about six feet long and two feet thick. He has also another contract to supply a large quantity of the stone for the foundation of the Methodist church in Victoria. This speaks well for Nanaimo and it is to be hoped the enterprising merchants will in time find it possible to supply Victoria with something more than stone and coal, but also fire clay, iron and other minerals with which this district abounds.—*Free Press.*

Bridging Behring Straits.

The project of bridging Behring Straits, which is said to be attracting discussion in Russia, remarks the Toronto *Globe*, is a somewhat startling one, but there do not seem to be any insuperable difficulties in the way. The distance between Siberia and Alaska is between fifty and sixty miles, but this distance is broken into convenient sections by three or four islands, which would form stations in a route from Cape Prince of Wales on the American shore to East cape on the Russian. The undertaking would, of course, be an enormously expensive one, but who will say that it will never be accomplished? With a railway to Alaska, another across Siberia, and a tunnel under the British Channel, our descendants, if they do not succeed in bridging the Atlantic, may yet journey by rail from New York to London.

Have Left the City.

Some months ago an alleged female detective took up her abiding place in this city, bringing with her letters of recommendation from Pinkerton's detective agency, and representing herself as a special detective of the United States customs department. She requested the superintendent of police to allow her the privilege of wearing male attire, and as her record appeared all straight, the request was granted. Certain events have transpired lately, however, which led the police to believe that there was something crooked about the rather masculine female, but the woman and her male companion evidently got wind of the fact that they were being watched, for on Tuesday they folded their tents and stole away to parts unknown. No tangible complaint has been made by the police, but certain hints are made that the city is better off by being rid of the presence of the lady "detective."

Painting and Paper Hanging.

For painting, paper hanging, calsomining etc., go to Lissett & Wark, 97 Yates street, above Douglas.

Fence Posts.

Split cedar fence posts for sale. Apply to A. C. Howe, corner of Discovery and Government streets or to Scotch Bakery, Douglas street. *

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set price being placed upon them. They brought good prices and the government lost very little by the transaction. One of the great sources of revenue of Prince Edward Island was the supplying of draught horses to the Eastern States.

Mr. Cunningham moved the adjournment of the debate.

RAILWAYS.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said two very important measures were brought down to the house yesterday by message of his honor the lieut.-governor, viz: bills granting subsidies to railways. The government in justice to the house should lay the bills before honorable members and give them an opportunity to look into them.

House adjourned till 2 p. m. Friday.

FRIDAY, March 21.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2 p. m. Prayers by the Rev. Dr. Reid.

FRASER RIVER.

Mr. Cunningham moved a resolution requesting His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor to urge upon the Dominion government—First, the necessity of resurveying a channel of the Fraser River from the entrance at the Sand Heads to six miles above New Westminster city, if possible under the supervision of the officers of the ships of the navy stationed in these waters. Second, that His Honor will also urge upon the Dominion government the necessity of placing at the entrance of the said channel, at the Sand Heads, a light-ship (which can be moored as the channel shifts), furnished with crew and appliances sufficient to ensure the proper placing and replacing when necessary of buoys, and to attend to conservancy in general. Third, that His Honor will further urge upon the Dominion government the absolute and pressing necessity of immediately providing and keeping in reserve a supply of buoys sufficient to replace those that may be from time to time carried away.

The mover, after pointing out the importance of the Fraser river, stated that when one of the citizens of New Westminster went to San Francisco to charter ships to carry lumber from New Westminster, he was asked where a chart of the river was. He telegraphed back for one, when it was found that no survey had been made since the sixties. A survey was then undertaken and made at the expense of the citizens, a necessity which he contended was not creditable to either governments. After reading a list of the vessels which loaded at New Westminster during the past summer, he claimed that New Westminster was now prepared to export 600,000 feet of lumber per day. What was wanted first was a chart of the river, and then a lightship at the Sand Heads, the present lighthouse, scarcely larger than a sentry box, being two miles from the channel. He wished the house to take heed to the crying necessities of the Fraser river people and to pass the resolution unanimously.

Hon. Mr. Robson in seconding the resolution, sympathised with all that the last speaker had said. The magnitude of the lumber and salmon industries made it most important that the river should be improved.

Mr. Orr fully agreed with the resolution and believed that if proper representations were made to the Dominion government that some action would be taken on it. In 1871, when Dr. McInnes, now senator, represented the district in the commons, there was considerable agitation in New Westminster in regard to to the navigation of the Fraser. H. M. S. Rocket had gone up the river and grounded there, bringing the necessity of some action strongly before the people. He obtained a tracing of the chart as well as estimates of the cost of the construction of jetties at the mouth of the river, and forwarded them to Dr. McInnes, who in acknowledging the receipt of them said it was the first practical information which had been received. As a result an appropriation of $15,000 was made to improve the navigation of the river. He referred at some length to the extent of navigation on the Fraser and Burrard Inlet.

Mr. Ladner pointed out that the boats leaving Victoria for New Westminster early on Monday morning had often to lie in Plumper's Pass till daylight when the buoys could be picked up. In regard to the buoys he did not see why the snag-boat Samson could not be used to attend to them. The district had been so unfortunate as not to be represented at Ottawa this year, but that was a misfortune that could not be helped. The House would be glad to hear that their representative was on the road to recovery.

Mr. Croft could not but express astonishment that the Dominion government should have neglected the Fraser River so long. It was a more valuable river than the Columbia, which had no rich delta like the Fraser, and so well adapted for commerce. Millions of money had been spent on the Columbia and the Mississippi and made them navigable and there was no reason why the Fraser should not be made perfectly navigable.

Mr. Semlin spoke in support of the resolution, but saw no reason why officers of H. M. S. ships should be asked to make the survey.

The leader of the government said the Dominion government did not employ engineers competent for this work.

Resolution passed unanimously.

MUTINY AT SEA.

Crew of the Mary Ellen Complain of Ill Treatment.

Early this morning the sealing schooner Mary Ellen, Capt. Dan. McLean, entered the harbor, and cast anchor off Warren's wharf. Shortly afterwards it was rumored that a mutiny among the crew had been the cause of her entrance to this port, and a Times reporter went aboard the vessel to get some particulars. Capt. McLean was not aboard, but the men were quite willing to talk.

They told a tale of ill-treatment and trouble, which if true, shows that the life of a sailor on the Mary Ellen is not a happy one. The schooner, which belongs to this port, sailed from San Francisco some weeks ago on a sealing cruise, with the usual complement of hunters and twelve sailors. The cruise was uneventful and everything went smoothly until the 8th of February, when a row occurred and one of the sailors, Patrick Maroney, who was at the wheel at the time, says that Capt. McLean assaulted him and tried to throw him overboard. Considerable trouble ensued and guns drawn but no great damage was done, and the affair blew over.

On the 14th of March another row occurred. The men were hauling down the jib, and one of them got into an altercation with the captain, when the sailor was struck over the head with an iron belaying pin, and severely hurt. The man, named Thomas Cummings, says that he was struck by the captain. After this row the men were told to eat their meals aft, and on objecting were told by Capt. McLean that they would have to eat just where he said, and if they would not he would put the lot off work. This threat he carried out, and since the 14th the men have been doing nothing, the hunters working the vessel. The men assert that no food was allowed them, and all that they have had to eat was some hard bread found in the hold, together with a small sack of corn meal. The latter they cooked in a tin cup over the forecastle lamp, as the cook had orders not to give them access to the galley.

The men are a unit in laying the whole of the blame of the affair on Capt. McLean, and express themselves as only too willing to have the matter brought before the courts.

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Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—G F Winters, J S Shearer, A H B Mathews, J Grant, W G McKenzie, Jas Gillespie, W A Duncan, Samuel Mann, Jas Campbell, Robt Dunn, J T Lawson, Fred Bray, Geo Murray, W A Russell, T W Gray, John Bellemer, Robt Thompson, W C Mann, Thos Adams, F B Fenwick, W H Lawson, Wm Gill, C J Bixon, J H Hallett, Mrs Fox, W E Taylor, Miss Thompson, H J Matthews, Dan Wallis, Miss M Traill.

Per Stmr. Yosemite from New Westminster—Mr and Mrs T D Lindsay and family, Mr and Mrs Mawdsley, Miss M Collinson, Capt H G Lewis, J Bradling, J W Henderson, C R Wells, R A Porter, R Harper, M Johnson, Alex Lee, J Smith, T Smith.

Consignees.

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DIED.

KENT.—In this city, on the 19th inst., Hazel Gladys, infant daughter of Herbert and Georgie Kent, aged 10 months and 1 day.

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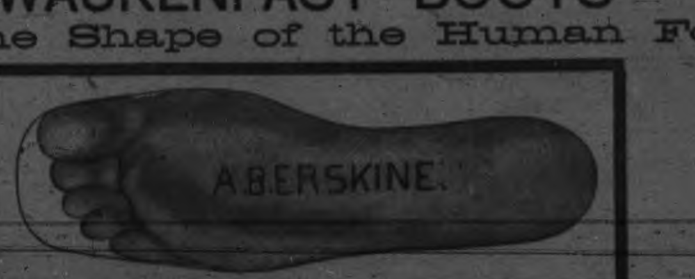

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